Introduced by Assembly Member Sharon Runner

February 23, 2007

An act to amend Sections 3031 and 7149 of the Fish and Game Code, and to add Section 399.8 to the Military and Veterans Code, relating to the National Guard.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1387, as introduced, Sharon Runner. National Guard: benefits. Existing law requires certain applicants for hunting and sport fishing licenses to pay a base fee of \$31.25 for each of those licenses.

This bill would authorize a member of the California National Guard to pay a base fee of \$15.62 for each of those licenses.

Existing law provides certain benefits for members of the California National Guard.

This bill would require the Department of Parks and Recreation to create a state parks pass, as provided, for members of the California National Guard, to use at parking facilities located within any unit of the state park system, as specified.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 3031 of the Fish and Game Code is 2 amended to read:
- 3 3031. (a) A hunting license, granting the privilege to take birds
- 4 and mammals, shall be issued to any of the following:

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1 (1) A resident of this state, 16 years of age or older, upon the payment of a base fee of thirty-one dollars and twenty-five cents (\$31.25).

(2) A resident of this state who is a member of the California National Guard, upon the payment of a base fee of fifteen dollars and sixty-two cents (\$15.62).

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(3) A resident or nonresident less than 16 years of age, upon the payment of a base fee of eight dollars and twenty-five cents (\$8.25).

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- 12 (4) A nonresident, 16 years of age or older, upon the payment 13 of a base fee of one hundred eight dollars and fifty cents (\$108.50). 14 (4)
 - (5) A nonresident, 16 years of age or older, valid only for two consecutive days upon payment of the fee set forth in paragraph (1). A license issued pursuant to this paragraph is valid only for taking resident and migratory game birds, resident small game mammals, fur-bearing mammals, and nongame mammals, as defined in this code or in regulations adopted by the commission.

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- (6) A nonresident, valid for one day and only for the taking of domesticated game birds and pheasants while on the premises of a licensed game bird club, or for the taking of domesticated migratory game birds in areas licensed for shooting those birds, upon the payment of a base fee of fifteen dollars (\$15).
- (b) The base fees specified in this section are applicable to the 2004 license year, and shall be adjusted annually thereafter pursuant to Section 713.
- SEC. 2. Section 7149 of the Fish and Game Code is amended to read:
- 7149. (a) A sport fishing license granting the privilege to take any fish, reptile, or amphibia anywhere in this state for purposes other than profit shall be issued to any of the following:
- (1) A resident 16 years of age or older, for the period of a calendar year, or, if issued after the beginning of the year, for the remainder thereof, upon payment of a base fee of thirty-one dollars and twenty-five cents (\$31.25).
- 39 (2) A resident, who is a member of the California National 40 Guard, for the period of a calendar year, or, if issued after the

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beginning of the year, for the remainder thereof, upon payment of 2 a base fee of fifteen dollars and sixty-two cents (\$15.62). 3

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(3) A nonresident, 16 years of age or older, for the period of a calendar year, or, if issued after the beginning of the year, for the remainder thereof, upon payment of a base fee of eighty-four dollars (\$84).

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(4) A nonresident, 16 years of age or older, for the period of 10 consecutive days beginning on the date specified on the license upon payment of the fee set forth in paragraph (1).

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> (5) A resident or nonresident, 16 years of age or older, for two consecutive designated calendar days, upon payment of half of the fee set forth in paragraph (1). Notwithstanding Section 1053, more than one two-day license issued for different two-day periods may be issued to, or possessed by, a person at one time.

- (6) A resident or nonresident, 16 years of age or older, for one designated day, upon payment of a base fee of ten dollars (\$10).
- (b) California sport fishing license stamps shall be issued by authorized license agents in the same manner as sport fishing licenses, and no compensation may be paid to the authorized license agent for issuing the stamps except as provided in Section 1055.
- (c) This section does not apply to licenses, permits, reservations, tags, or other entitlements issued through the Automated License Data System.
- 29 (d) The base fees specified in this section are applicable to the 30 2004 license year, and shall be adjusted annually thereafter 31 pursuant to Section 713.
 - SEC. 3. Section 399.8 is added to the Military and Veterans Code, to read:
 - 399.8. The Department of Parks and Recreation shall create a state parks pass, for use by members of the California National Guard, to park, free of charge, at any parking facility, located within any unit of the state park system for which parking fees are collected, if parking space is available.